

METHOD OF ACTIVATING A GETTER STRUCTURE

ABSTRACT

5 A method of activating a getter structure, including illuminating a
photomask having a transmissive region substantially aligned with the getter
structure, transmitting a portion of the photons through, the transmissive region.
In addition the method includes absorbing the photons, transmitted through the
transmissive region, in the getter structure and heating the getter structure with
10 the absorbed photons.